

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
NEW JERSEY STATE
BOARD OF NURSING

IN THE MATTER OF THE
LICENSE OF

SHARON DE MARCELLO, L.P.N..
License # NP 00948100

TO PRACTICE NURSING IN THE
STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Administrative Action

FINAL ORDER
OF DISCIPLINE

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Nursing ("the Board") upon receipt of information which the Board has reviewed and on which the following findings of fact and conclusions of law are made:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Respondent is a licensed practical nurse in the State of New Jersey, and has been a licensee at all times relevant hereto.
2. On or about July 22, 2011, respondent was suspended indefinitely by the North Carolina Board of Nursing for failure to comply with a regulation administered by that Board, and to submit proof of continuing competence to the North Carolina Board
3. Respondent failed to notify the New Jersey Board about the suspension in North Carolina.
4. Respondent, upon the renewal of her New Jersey nursing license on May 25, 2012, incorrectly indicated that no action had been taken against her professional

license by any other licensing authority since her last renewal.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. Respondent's suspension by the North Carolina Board subjects respondent to sanctions pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(g) .
2. Respondent's indication in her 2012 renewal that no action had been taken against her professional license by any licensing authority since her last renewal constitutes misrepresentation within the intendment of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(b).
3. Respondent's failure to notify the Board of the North Carolina action against her license constitutes a violation of N.J.A.C. 13:37-5.9, subjecting respondent to sanctions pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(h)..

Based on the foregoing findings and conclusions, a Provisional Order of Discipline was entered on September 17, 2012, provisionally suspending respondent's nursing license, and provisionally imposing a public reprimand and a \$250.00 civil penalty. A copy of the Order was forwarded to respondent by certified and regular mail at her address of record. The Provisional Order was subject to finalization by the Board at 5:00 p.m. on the 30th business day following entry unless respondent requested a modification or dismissal of the stated Findings of Fact or Conclusions of Law by submitting a written request for modification or dismissal setting forth in writing any and all reasons why said findings and conclusions should be modified or dismissed and submitting any and all documents or other written evidence supporting respondent's request for consideration and reasons therefor.

The certified mailing of the Provisional Order of Discipline was signed for. The

regular mailing was not returned. No response has been received to date. The Board determined that service had been effected, since the mailings of the order had been sent to respondent at her address of record with the Board. Respondent may not evade process by failing to respond. The Board further determined that inasmuch as no discrepancies had been raised with respect to the findings and conclusions of the Provisional Order, additional proceedings were not necessary, and the Provisional Order should be made final.

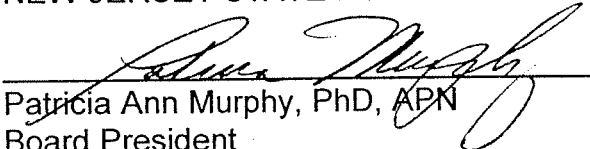
ACCORDINGLY, IT IS on this 4th day of January, 2013th 2012,

ORDERED that:

1. Respondent's New Jersey nursing license is hereby suspended until she can demonstrate that she has been fully reinstated by the North Carolina Board.
2. A public reprimand is hereby imposed for the violation of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(b) and (h).
3. A \$250.00 civil penalty is hereby imposed for the violation of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(b) and (h).. Payment shall be in the form of a certified check or money order made payable to the State of New Jersey, and shall be forwarded within twenty-one (21) days of the filing of this Order to George Hebert, Executive Director, Board of Nursing, P.O. Box 45010, 124 Halsey Street, 6th Floor, Newark, NJ 07101.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF NURSING

By:


Patricia Ann Murphy, PhD, APN
Board President